

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 814

By Barnes

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Connor Andrew Reed,
2012 Valedictorian of the Academy for Academic
Excellence.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Connor Andrew Reed is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2012 graduating class at the Academy for Academic Excellence; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Connor has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Reed has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including 4-H and the Student Council; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of his singular academic achievements, Connor Reed was inducted into the National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, and National Art Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, strongly committed to community and public service, Mr. Reed endeavors to serve his fellow citizens through volunteer work with the Salvation Army and the Loaves and Fishes Community Kitchen; and

WHEREAS, Connor's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as he pursues higher education at the Tennessee Tech Center; and

WHEREAS, Connor Reed's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his mother, Tiffany Reed, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Connor's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2012 Academy for Academic Excellence Valedictorian, Connor Andrew Reed, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.